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12 Studies for Christian Living



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INTRODUCTION AND FOREWORD

This study course is primarily designed for new believers, or those wishing to freshen up on their foundational doctrine. The development of this study series follows a winding track covering several decades. It began with a need to have some form of written material for new believers at a time when very little material, which did justice to certain important topics such as water baptism and the baptism in the Holy Spirit, was available.

In one form or another we have now used this material in churches for over 35 years, and it has proven invaluable for both new believers and those who desire a more concrete, Word-based foundation for their faith. It is also particularly useful for those who come from other churches and perhaps somehow missed the basics along the way, which is not as uncommon as it should be.

This is the something like the fifth edition of this particular format. It has been updated and revised totally in 2024 for use at **Pathway Church**, and divided twelve studies that can be done one-on-one or in a small group. Ideally the material should encourage discussion and questions, which is an ideal way to learn, but reading through them will also benefit those who need to know the information they contain.

I would like to reiterate, with the writer of Ecclesiastes (Eccl 1:9-10), that there is nothing new under the sun. I have gathered material and ideas over four decades of study, and added to and updated my initial notes to such an extent that many of the sources are no longer known to me. I have given credit where I am able, but alas, I am mostly undone in this regard, never imagining at the beginning that this series of studies be would the end result.

Finally, let me say a hearty “thank you” to those who have helped me put this series together, reading, re-reading and editing along the way. You know who you are. Thank you to all for your able help and assistance. I appreciate it more than you know.

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